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APPLICANT'S AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION IN RESPONSE TO **OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R.§§ 1.111-1.112** 

With respect to the above-captioned patent application, the undersigned pro se Applicant respectfully files the present Amendment/Reply paper, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111, in response to the Non-Final Office Action dated June 14, 2005 (hereinafter, the "Office Action").

Applicant's REMARK, which includes Requests for Reconsideration and detailed responses to the Examiner's arguments in the Office Action, is provided in PART III hereinbelow. Applicant elects to NOT amend or modify any of the originally submitted drawings (See PART III). Amendments to the Specification and to the Claims in response to the Office Action are provided in PART I and PART II respectively. Thus, Applicant's Reply to the Office Action is as follows:

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